

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY APPELLATE PANEL  
OF THE TENTH CIRCUIT**

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IN RE: COURT OPERATIONS  
DURING A LAPSE IN  
APPROPRIATIONS.

GENERAL ORDER NO. 10  
October 1, 2013

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Before THURMAN, Chief Judge, CORNISH, MICHAEL, NUGENT, KARLIN,  
ROMERO, SOMERS, and JACOBVITZ, Bankruptcy Judges.

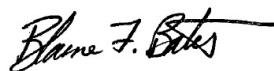
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Following the directive of Chief Judge Mary Beck Briscoe of the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals, and to ensure consistency throughout the Tenth Circuit, the Court enters this Order to enable the Court to fulfill its statutory duty to continue to hear and resolve cases during any lapse in appropriations.

As the duties performed by all employees and judicial officers of this Court are necessary and essential to the continued resolution of cases according to normal schedules and priorities, the Court hereby orders them to continue to work full time during any lapse in appropriations, unless specifically directed otherwise by the Chief Judge of this Court. To the fullest extent practicable during a lapse in appropriations, Court activities shall be limited to those functions necessary and essential to the continued resolution of cases. The incurrence of travel and other expenses shall be limited to those necessary to support the operations of the Court.

Unless modified or revoked by the Chief Judge of this Court, this Order shall remain in effect throughout the current fiscal year.

For the Panel:



Blaine F. Bates  
Clerk of Court